

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A digital camera obtains a plurality of live view images in a time-series manner by using a CCD image capturing device and the like. A determination part of the digital camera determines whether a finger of the user is included in an objective area to be captured or not on the basis of the plurality of live view images. For example, the determination is made on the basis of a change with time in the position of a predetermined low-brightness area in the plurality of live view images. When both a shifted low-brightness area and a not-shifted low-brightness area exist, the not-shifted low-brightness area is regarded as a finger area. Alternately, the determination may be made on the basis of a change with time in contrast in a predetermined area in a plurality of images for AF obtained in a time-series manner while moving the position of a focusing lens. When the contrast value of the predetermined area continuously increases as the lens position approaches the near-side end, the predetermined area is regarded as a finger area.